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Tetuan, July 27. *The following is a Relation of Proceedings of the Daniſh Commodore, M. Lutraw, at Saphy and Morocco, in concluding a Treaty of Peace with the Emperor of Morocco, and redeeming M. de Longueville, and ſeveral other Daniſh Subjects detained in Morocco; extracted from ſeveral Letters of Mr. George Andrews of Saphy, to William Mounteney and Company, of Sallee, under the following Dates.*

MAY 21, 1753.

ON the 12th Inſtant arrived here four Daniſh Men of War, and two Tranſports, under the Command of Commodore Lutraw, in order to redeem M. de Longueville and his People. The Commodore has already ſent on Shore the King of Denmark's Letter to the Emperor, with a Liſt of the Preſents he brings, and offers 18,000 Dollars for their Redemption. They propoſe having here a Conſul, whom they have on board, and to eſtabliſh a Houſe of Buſineſs in this Place, and another at Sta Cruiz, on the ſame Footing, with the reſt of the Merchants ſettled here.

Yeſterday Evening ſome of our Chiefs ſet out for Morocco, with the King of Denmark's Letter, and the Commodore's Propoſals to the Emperor, who, it is ſuppoſed, will come into the Daniſh Meaſures this Time, there being no Appearance of any one's oppoſing them.

May 30. On the 25th Inſtant arrived from Morocco, thoſe who carried to the Emperor the King of Denmark's Letter, and Commodore Lutraw's Propoſals. The Emperor deſires that the Preſents ſhould be landed and ſent to Morocco, and that the Danes ſhould add to the Sum offered for the Ranſom of their Miniſter and other Subjects, 7000 Dollars; two Silver Tea Kettles with Stands and Lamps; 1500 Cannon Balls, of which 502 to be of 24 lb. Weight each; 1000 large Beams of Pine, forty Palms length; 3000 Deal Boards, and 60 Quantals of Gunpowder; that if the Danes will conſent to this Augmentation, the Emperor promiſes to finiſh with them, and to deliver to them M. de Longueville and his People. On the 26th M. Rey went on board to communicate the Emperor's Demands to the Commodore, who, with much Difficulty, and many Perſuaſions, was brought to agree to the Whole; and M. Rey is bound to the Emperor for ſuch of the ſtipulated Articles as are not actually on board the Ships. On the 27th the Preſents were landed; and on the 28th M. Sombell ſet out again for Morocco, to inform the Emperor of the Succeſs of the Negotiation. It is ſuppoſed that in a few Days all the Captive Danes will be here from Morocco. The Preſents now ſent are much the ſame as thoſe ſent laſt Year, excepting a fine Diamond Ring, a large Ruby curiouſly ſet in Gold, and two Pair Necklaces.

June 16. On the 11 Inſtant arrived here from Morocco, M. de Longueville with all the Danes. M. Longueville ſtrove very much to have an Audience of the Emperor before his Departure, but in vain; the Emperor would not admit him, being highly incenſed againſt him for the Contents of ſome Papers, which he cauſed to be tranſlated here laſt Year, and which were Part of the ſaid M. de Longueville's Journal. M. Rey, and Lieutenant de Haas, one of the Captives, went on board M. Lutraw, and ſent the Money on Shore; and then the Danes were immediately embarked. M. de Longueville went in the laſt Boat, and on his Embarking, the Town ſaluted him with three Guns; and when he got on board, the Commodore, and all the Reſt of the Ships, made a general Diſcharge of all their Artillery: The Town anſwered with 22 Guns: But in the Midſt of theſe Rejoicings, a moſt dreadful Accident happened, the Falſter Man of War, of 40 Guns and 320 Men, commanded by Capt. Hoogland, unfortunately took Fire, and was entirely loſt notwithſtanding all the Efforts the reſt of the Squadron made to ſave her. 'Tis imagined that this Conflagration proceeded from a Lamp which the Carpenter of the Ship left lighted in his Cabbin when he went upon Deck to ſee the Ambaſſador M. de Longueville and his Retinue paſs by on board the Commodore. That the Shock which the Falſter ſuffered on the Diſcharge of her Artillery ſaluting the Ambaſſador, cauſed the Lamp to fall upon a Heap of Oakham in the Carpenter's Cabbin, which took Fire with ſo much Violence, that when it was perceived, it was impoſſible to extinguiſh it. Capt. Hoogland was at that Time on board the Commodore, but upon News of the Misfortune, he came along Side his Ship in his Boat, and ordered them to cut the Cables, and run the Ship on Shore, in Caſe they could not extinguiſh the Flames; accordingly the Cables were cut, and the Ship left to drive under her Main Topſail and Foreſail. Mean Time the Daniſh Commodore, and two other Ships, cut their Cables, got under Sail, and ſtood off to avoid the Fire, or its Effects. In about fifteen Minutes after the Fire was diſcovered on board the Falſter, it had reached from Head to Stern; and about half an Hour after 5 o'Clock in the Afternoon the Ship came on Shore to the Southward of this Town, at a League Diſtance, and there continued burning till between 8 and 9 o'Clock, when the Fire ſeized the Powder Room, and blew up with a moſt horrible Noiſe, with whatever remained of the Ship above Water, or of the Crew yet unconſumed; of the latter 133 Perſons, ſeveral of Diſtinction, periſhed either in the Flames or Floods; the Boats of the other Ship ſaved 163, and 24 ſwam on Shore.

On the 24th arrived from Morocco the Daniſh Conſul and M. Rey, with the 24 Shipwrecked People. What I can as yet learn, regarding their Negotiations is, that the Daniſh Conſul has concluded with the Emperor a Treaty of Peace and Commerce, by which the Emperor obliges the Danes to ſet at Liberty all Moor Slaves they have in their Country; and that if henceforward any Moor Slaves ſhould eſcape on board their Ships of War in France, Spain, Portugal, &c. that they ſhould be protected in like Manner as they are by the Engliſh on ſuch Occaſions: That it ſhall be permitted the Emperor to ſend Agents into Denmark, there to purchaſe whatever Goods or Materials he ſhall think proper, and to load them on Daniſh Bottoms, to be tranſported hither, with all Manner of Security, the Emperor paying to ſuch Ships which ſhall be employed in his Service, the Freights, &c. agreed upon: That all Diſputes or Differences ariſing between the Danes and Moors, ſhould be ſettled according to the Mooriſh Law: That all Diſputes between the Danes themſelves, ſhould be ſettled by their Conſul: And that in Caſe of any Diſagreements between the Danes and Reſidents of any other Nation, it ſhall be decided by a General Aſſembly of the Commerce. The Emperor is to give them a Houſe here, and another at Sta Cruiz, &c. The Conſul's Orders from the Court of Denmark are, as I hear, not to moleſt any Reſident of other Nations eſtabliſhed here, either in the Poſſeſſion of Houſe, or Management of his Trade, but to take Care to live with every one in good Harmony.

On the 16th Inſtant were embarked here, very well ſatisfied with their Treatment on Shore, the 24 Shipwrecked Danes belonging to Capt. Hoogland; and we hear that the Emperor has ordered the Governors of this Place to regale the Daniſh Men of War with Proviſions in his Name, to the Value of 600 Ducats.

Perſia, Auguſt 24. Prince Heraclius, being peaceably ſettled, has determined to ſend a ſolemn Embaſſy to Ruſſia, and Things are altered in this Country ſo much for the better, that Trade begins to revive, and the Caravans paſs and repaſs without Moleſtation to and from Ruſſia, and other bordering Countries.

Ruſſia, Auguſt 28. The Troops of this Empire conſiſt of 250,000 Horſe and Foot, as well diſciplined as any in Europe, and 100,000 Coſſacks and Kalmucks. Our Fleet is, 43 Ships of the Line, 300 Galies, and 160 ſmall Veſſels, mann'd by 40,000 Seamen: It is divided into the white, blue, and red Squadrons, under the High Admiral Prince Apraxin, five Vice and three Rear-Admirals.

Poland, Auguſt 28. A terrible Storm happened on the 9th of July at Sendomir, by which moſt of the Houſes in that City were overturned, the Roofs of the Churches torn off, Bridges broken down, and much Cattle, and ſome of the Inhabitants were lifted from the Ground, and carried away by the Violence of the Wind into the Viſtula, and drowned. In Poſnania immenſe Swarms of Locuſts have made ſtrange Havock with the Corn and Fruits of the Earth; but whilſt the Inhabitants were mourning over their deſolated Fields, a Flight of Storks providentially came to their Aſſiſtance, and devour'd all thoſe deſtructive Inſects.

Florence, Sept. 2. All the Talk is of the Bravery of a Woman near Sienna: Her Huſband being in Priſon here for about fifty Crowns, ſhe made up the Money, and was coming hither to diſcharge him. A Robber came up to her, Cutlaſs in Hand, ſwearing he would rip her up if ſhe did not inſtantly deliver her Money: At firſt ſhe pleaded Poverty; but, upon his going to ſtrip her, ſhe ſaid, That indeed ſhe had a little Money, but that it was ſew'd up in her Stays, and with his Cutlaſs ſhe would unrip it. The Robber readily put his Weapon into her Hands, when, ſuddenly turning upon him, ſhe plunged it in his Body, and laid him dead at her Feet. Upon this ſhe quickened her Pace hither, and informed the Magiſtracy of her Exploit. She was detained while Perſons were ſent away to the Spot, who found the Body to be that of one Pedrillo, the Chief of a notorious Gang of Robbers, and for apprehending of whom the Government had iſſued a Reward of Five Hundred Crowns: Not only this Sum has been paid to the Woman, but her Huſband cleared by the Magiſtrates; and they have been eſcorted to their Village to ſecure them from the Revenge of Pedrillo's Comrades.

LONDON,

September 29. The India Company have given Orders to the Commanders of the outward-bound Ships to take on board the Laſcars that have been here ſome Time, and others that lately arrived in their homeward-bound Ships, in order for their Return home. We hear a conſiderable Number of Soldiers are likewiſe to be ſhip'd for their Settlements in thoſe Parts.

October 1. We hear that Samuel Cameron, Brother to Glenevis, and Major to Lord Lewis Drummond's Regiment, was lately taken up at Liſle, by Order of the French Court, and confined to a Dungeon, on Suſpicion of carrying on an illicit Correſpondence.

At a Court of Common Council this Day held at Guildhall, it was ordered, That the Town Clerk do wait upon the Members of Parliament for this City, and acquaint them, that it is the earneſt Requeſt of the ſaid Court, that they would ſeverally uſe their beſt Endeavours to obtain a Repeal of the late Act in Favour of the Jews.

The King of Denmark has publiſhed an Ordonance at Altena, forbidding all his Subjects to enliſt themſelves for the Britiſh Colonies in America, on Pain of Confiſcation of their Effects; and ſuch as ſhall be convicted of enliſting them are to be ſent to work on the Fortifications, or otherwiſe corporally puniſhed.

The Complaints among the poorer Jews, eſpecially thoſe who trade as a Sort of Pedlars in the ſeveral Counties of England, are very great ſince the Naturaliſation Act; which, by the popular Clamour raiſed againſt it, has in a Manner deprived them of the very Means of Subſiſtence. The more humane Part of the Country People, who don't

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chuſe to inſult and abuſe them, very calmly acquaint them, That, tho' no Way culpable, yet, as Jews, they are determined to have nothing to do with them; nor lay out a ſingle Penny with them.

October 16. Private Letters from Holland, inform us of the Determination of an important Law Suit, which has been decided in a Manner that was never heard of in that Country. A Cauſe had been depending for three Years between the Eaſt India Company, and one Francis Canters, who having been in the Company's Service in India, has amaſſed conſiderable Riches, and returning to Holland, was arreſted at Amſterdam by the Directors of the Company, who accuſed him of Miſdemeanors, and commenced a Proſecution againſt him. Canters being caſt, was ſtript of his Wealth: But, not diſcouraged by this Reverſe of Fortune, he petitioned the States General, that they as the Sovereigns, who have the Right of judging ſuch Caſes in the laſt Reſort, would revile the Sentence. His Petition was granted; and their High Mightineſſes, in order to pronounce the final Sentence agreeable to Juſtice and the Laws, nominated all the Counſellor Penſionaries of the nineteen Towns in the Province of Holland to make the Reviſion. Theſe Gentlemen having met in a Body on the 1ſt Inſt. at Nine in the Evening, ſpent the whole Night in reading and examining the Papers relating to the Cauſe, and at Five in the Morning drew up their Sentence, by which the Accuſed is acquitted, and the Honourable Eaſt India Company condemned to pay Coſts of Suit.

Dublin, Sept. 11. It is computed, that there hath been 2,200 000 l. ſent out of this Country ſince the Year 1739, allowing only 300,000 l. a Year for Corn imported hither. And ſince that Time, it is ſaid, that we have loſt 420,000 able Men, which is only 30,000 each Year, whoſe Increaſe by Marriage would have been more than double the Number; and allowing the Circulation of the Money in Tillage and Improvement of Lands to have been ſpent here, how much richer and better cultivated would this unhappy, infatuated Iſland have been, had we ſown Corn, and eat our own Bread, and have kept our People at Home to have conſumed the Neceſſaries of Life, and our own Manufactures, inſtead of ſending them to the French to fight againſt us, and to improve and People their Plantations in America? This is a very melancholy Affair, and ſhould be thought of ſeriouſly by our Legiſlature.

NEW-YORK, November 26.

By Captain Falls of the Ship Prince George, in 6 Weeks from Cadiz, there is Advice, that a Settee was cut out of the Tagus, near Liſbon, in Portugal, by a Crew of Pirates, who with their Prize put to Sea, and off St. Mary's, took Captain Herin, in a Ship belonging to Waterford, bound from Cadiz home, and put all the People to Death, and in a moſt barbarous Manner, ſplit the Captain's Skull with an Ax, when he was on his Knees begging for Mercy: They afterwards took a French Ship, and alſo cruelly murdered every Soul on board; but in a ſhort Time after, being in want of Water, they were obliged to put into an out Harbour on the Coaſt of Portugal, where the Inhabitants ſuſpecting them, ſeized their Veſſel and eight of the Pirates, (the reſt to the Number of 60 eſcaping) and ſent her into Cadiz a few Days before Capt. Falls ſailed.

There is alſo Advice by Capt. Falls, that an Algerine boarded a Brig belonging to Cork in Ireland, and almoſt cut the Captain to Pieces, for not bringing too quick enough, in Obedience to his Deſire.

Captain McLaughlin from Dublin, informs us, that on the Banks of Newfoundland, he was ſpoke with by a French Ship, who demanding ſeveral Stores and Proviſions he could not ſpare, fired ſeveral Shot into him, which went through his Sails; the Frenchman calling him Engliſh *Footer*, &c. and continued firing at him while he was within Shot.

PHILADELPHIA, November 22.

Friday laſt arrived here Capt. Bolitho from Madeira, who on the 30th of October, at Night, had a violent Gale of Wind at S. E. by E. in Lat. 38 20, which laſted nine Hours, and had like to have drove him aſhore on Aſſaug Shoal.

The ſame Day the Ship Friendſhip, Capt. Seix, alſo arriv'd from Holland with Palatines, who likewiſe met with very ſtormy Weather, in which one of his Hands fell from the Main-top, and was drown'd. A Ship with Palatines left Cowes two Days before Captain Seix, bound to Maryland.

Laſt *Sunday* departed this Life, at *New-Caſtle*, the Reverend Mr. *GEORGE ROSS*, the Honourable Society's eldeſt Miſſionary, in the Seventy fourth Year of his Age, and Forty eighth of his Miſſion. The Innocence and Purity of Manners which he conſtantly preſerved during the Courſe of a long Life; and a Variety of Occurrences in Church and State, together with a natural Chearfulneſs, and Sweetneſs of Diſpoſition, render'd his old Age perfectly eaſy to himſelf, and pleaſant and entertaining to his Family, Friends, and Acquaintance. Senſible of his approaching Diſſolution, he took an affectionate, lively, and becoming Leave of the Honourable Society; and had the Pleaſure, before he died, of receiving their Anſwer, thanking him for his Services to the Church of *England*, to which he was an hearty Friend ever ſince he wrote Man.

ANNAPOLIS.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleaſed to appoint the Honourable BENJAMIN TASKER, *Eſq; to be Commiſſary General of this Province; who was laſt Week ſworn into that Office.*

By Capt. White *from* Rhode Iſland, *we are informed, that the Brig* Charles, *Capt.* Jacob Walter, *which ſail'd from* Patapſco *for* London *the Beginning of* October, *met with a terrible Storm ſoon after ſhe left our Capes, which ſwept the Deck, and waſh'd overboard the Mate (one* Robinſon), *who was at Helm, and was drowned. She put into* Rhode Iſland *to refit; but we hear the Cargo was no Ways damaged.*

By the laſt Mail from Philadelphia, *there was brought down a Counterfeit, in Imitation of the Ten Shilling Bill of this Province: A Man who had brought a great Number of them into that Place, has been detected, and committed to Goal, near a Thouſand of them having been found in his Cheſt, which he ſays he brought from* Amſterdam, *where he purchaſed them of one who makes it his Buſineſs to counterfeit Paper Currencies. Thoſe Counterfeits brought in, are all number'd* 4452. *The Paper on which they are printed, has not the Border round, and Word* MARYLAND, *at Bottom, ſtamp'd in it.*

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship BIDDEFORD, *Capt.* JOHN COLE, *from* BRISTOL, *and to be Sold by the Subſcriber, at his new Store, near the Dock, in* ANNAPOLIS,

AN Aſſortment of *European* and *Eaſt-India* GOODS, at very reaſonable Rates, for Paper Money, Gold, or Bills of Exchange: He alſo Sells, good *Barbadoes* RUM, at 4 *l.* 6 *d. per* Gallon, SUGAR, at 8 *d. per* Pound, and Sour ORANGES, at 2 *s. per* Dozen.

John Raitt.

To be Sold by the Subſcriber,

GOOD *Weſt India* Rum, *Muſcovado* Sugar, Melaſſes, Coffee, Saſh Glaſs, 12 by 10, 11 by 9, 10 by 8, 6 by 4, and Diamond Glaſs, Linſeed Oil, White Lead, and ſundry dry Goods, for Caſh, Pork, Beef, Corn, Wheat, Peaſe, Oats, or Parcels of good Tobacco.

Patrick Creagh.

Conformable to LAW, 1

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is in the Poſſeſſion of *Andrew Tannehill*, near *Potowomack* River near *Kotockton Mountain*, taken up as a Stray, a Brown Mare, with a Star in her Forehead, and has a white Streak down her Face, branded on the near Shoulder with a Blotch, and on the near Thigh with a W, has a long Tail, and her hind Feet white.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable to LAW, 2

NOTICE is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Alexander Elliot*, in *Cæcil* County, near the Head of *Elk* River, taken up as a Stray, a Black Mare, about 14 Hands high, 4 Years old or thereabouts, has a ſmall Star in her Forehead, and a very blind Appearance of a Figure of 4 on the off Shoulder.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property and paying Charges.

LOST about 5 Weeks ago, near the Head of *Severn*, a black and white HOUND BITCH, of the deep mouthed Southern Kind, her Tail cut. Whoever brings the ſaid Hound to the Vineyard, or to Col. *Tasker*, at *Annapolis*, ſhall have Ten Shillings Reward. 2

November 30, 1753.

ON Saturday the 22d Day of *December* next, will be Sold to the higheſt Bidder, at the Houſe of Mr. *Joſeph Chew*, in *Alexandria*, (alias *Belhaven*), the Hull, which is laid up, and all the Materials of the Brigantine *Succeſs*; her Rigging, Sails, and Ground Tackle, are in general Good; an Inventory of which may be ſeen, at the ſaid *Chew's*, or in the Hands of

Carlyle and *Dalton*. X 2

STOLEN or Strayed from Mr. *Hepburn's* Plantation, near *Upper Marlborough*, about the 21ſt of *October* laſt, a Dark Brown Natural Pacing Gelding, about 13 Hands high, had a hanging Mane, and Switch Tail, between 5 and 6 Years old, and branded on the rear Shoulder and Buttock A. Whoever brings the ſaid Gelding to Mr. *Hepburn*, ſhall have Twenty Shillings Reward. 3

THERE is at the abovementioned Plantation, a Stray Steer, of a Red Colour, about 3 Years old, has a white Face, a Crop and an under Bit off the right Ear, and an under Bit off the left Ear.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying the Charge of this Advertiſement.

SAMUEL CLAYTON,
BUTCHER, from LONDON,

Now in Partnerſhip with Thomas Quayſe, *(who lately ſerved* John Roſs, *Eſq; as his Gardener) living near the Widow* Jennings's, *in* Annapolis,

CARRY on the Buſineſs of BUTCHERING, and will ſupply any Gentlemen, or Others, who ſhall be pleaſed to become their Cuſtomers, with any Kind of Proviſions, at the cheapeſt Rates. They give READY MONEY for fat live Cattle. They likewiſe kill Cattle or Sheep, in a neat and workman like Manner. 5

N. B. They ſell CANDLES, at 15 *d. per* Pound, by the ſingle Pound; and cheaper in large Quantities. The ſaid *Quayſe* is willing to ride on Meſſages for any Gentlemen, to any Part of the Province.

Baltimore Town, November 6, 1753.

ALL Perſons indebted to Mr. *Rowland Carnan*, now on his Voyage to *England*, or to the Eſtate of Mr. *Charles Carnan*, of *London*, Merchant, are deſired to come and ſettle their Accounts forthwith; otherwiſe they muſt expect to be ſued for their reſpective Debts, at *March* Court. 6

And any Perſons having any juſt Claims or Demands on ſaid *Rowland Carnan*, or the Eſtate of ſaid *Charles Carnan*, are deſired to apply for Payment of the ſame, in *Baltimore Town*, from Monday to Friday in every Week; and at *Elk Ridge* Landing every Saturday, where Attendance will be given, by

Chamier and *Carnan*, Attorneys in Fact to Mr. *Rowland Carnan*, and to the Truſtees to the Eſtate of Mr. *Charles Carnan*, of *London*.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Subſcriber, now living in the Houſe, at *London Town*, where Mr. *Weſt*, deceaſed, formerly dwelt, has provided himſelf with good Boats and ſkilful Hands; as alſo with good Beds, Liquors, and Provender for Horſes: All Gentlemen who ſhall think fit to favour him with their Cuſtom, may depend on a quick Paſſage over the Ferry, good Entertainment, and civil Uſage, from 10

Their humble Servant,
William Brown.

N. B. He ſtill continues his Buſineſs of a Joyner and Cabinet Maker, and can furniſh any Body with the neateſt and neweſt faſhion'd Chairs, Tables, &c. &c. &c. at the loweſt Rates.

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